

THE NEWS OF NORFOLK ON PAGES 2, 3, 5 & 6.

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LOST—SMALL WATERPROOF FOOT LOCKER, containing about \$200. Finder will please return to S. L. NUSBAUM, 274 Main street, and receive reward of \$5. fe20-3t

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WANTED—ALL PROPERTY OWNERS who have property for sale to list same at office 158 Plume street. Phone 884. MORRIS, MARSHALL & CO. fe18-1t

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NORFOLK-BERKLEY

The Bill Granting Bridge Charter Will be Considered To-night.

Important Meeting to be Held at the Rooms of the Board of Trade and Business Men's Association—Text of the Bill.

A meeting of the Board of Directors will be held to-night at 7 o'clock at the rooms of the Board of Trade and Business Men's Association to consider the application by the Norfolk and Berkley Bridge Company, now before the Virginia Legislature, for a franchise to construct and maintain a bridge from Norfolk to Berkley.

TEXT OF THE BILL.

As the matter is one of great im- portance and should be thoroughly un- derstood by the general public, The Virginian-Pilot herewith publishes the full text of the bill, which is as fol- lows:

1. Be it enacted by the General As- sembly of Virginia, That, Alvan H. Martin, Richard B. Tunstall, C. Brooks Johnston, J. P. Andre Motu, Walter H. Doyle, W. C. Skelton and Robert B. Cooke, and such persons as are now or may hereafter be associated with them, their successors and assigns, be, and they are hereby, created, constituted and declared a body, politic and cor- porate, by the name of the Norfolk and Berkley Bridge Company, and by that name shall have perpetual suc- cession and a common seal, which it may alter or amend at its pleasure, and may sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, contract and be con- tracted with, purchase, hold and grant estates, real and personal, and make ordinances, by-laws, and regulations consistent with the laws of this State and of the United States, for the gov- ernment of all under its authority, for the management of its estates and the due and orderly conducting of its af- fairs, and generally may do every act and thing necessary and proper to carry this act into effect and promote the objects of the corporation.

2. The capital stock of said company shall not be less than one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), nor more than five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), and shall be divided into shares of one hundred dollars (\$100) each. Any three of the above-named incorporators, to be elected by a ma- jority of the incorporators named in this act, are hereby created a commis- sion, and are authorized to receive sub- scriptions to the capital stock of said company at such time and place as they may appoint, and with or without notice, and, if with notice, then on such notice as they may deem best, and as soon as the minimum amount of the capital stock above named shall have been subscribed, they may at any time thereafter, and upon such notice as they may deem proper, call a meeting of the subscribers, which may organize the company. From time to time the capital stock may be increased by action of the Board of Directors until the maximum amount above named shall have been issued, and the Board of Directors may sell or dispose of such stock upon such terms and at such price or prices as they may deem proper. The Board of Directors may receive money, labor, services, rights, options, materials, bonds or stock of other companies, or any other real or personal property in payment of any subscriptions to the capital stock of said company, and at such price or prices and upon such terms as may be agreed upon between the directors and subscribers making payment in such way, and there shall be no individual liability on the part of the holders or takers of such stock in reference to when the said stock shall have been issued or declared by the Board of Directors as fully paid.

3. The said company shall be, and is hereby, authorized to construct, main- tain and operate over and across the Elizabeth river from some point in the

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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IF YOU ARE THINKING OF BUYING a sewing machine, try our D 9 Bail- bonding Wheeler & Wilson; terms easy; repairing specialty. 167 Church street. H. STONE, Agent. fe20-1m

LADIES NEEDING TREATMENT for Irregularities, Leucorrhoea or any other Ovarian Troubles consult DR. JACKSON, 112 W. Mulberry street, Bal- timore, Md. Private sanitarium; trained nurses.

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LADIES! Use Chickster's English Pennyroyal Pills. Best Scented Only! Reliable! Take no other. Buy of your Druggist or send 6c. stamps for partic- ulars and "How to Use" in letter by return mail. Chickster Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa. fe20-1t

city of Norfolk, to be selected by the Board of Directors, on Main street, at or near its eastern terminus, or on Newcastle street, at or near its south- ern terminus, or from some point in- termediate between the western line of Newcastle street, or the extension of the western line of Newcastle street, and a line drawn due north from the eastern end of Main street to some point, to be likewise selected by the Board of Directors, at or near the east- ern terminus of Main street, in the town of Berkley, or elsewhere on the Berkley side of Elizabeth river; and said bridge may be so constructed or altered from time to time as to accom- modate two or more railroad tracks thereon and to admit of the operation across the same of street cars and other cars and engines propelled by electricity or other motive power, and to provide for the passage of foot pas- sengers, horses, cattle, sheep and other animals and of vehicles of any and all kinds, and the said company is fur- ther authorized to cross such streets in the city of Norfolk and in the town of Berkley as may be necessary on the route selected by it.

The said company may charge, de- mand, receive and collect such reason- able toll for the use of said bridge as it may prescribe, not, however, to ex- ceed for similar service the present rate of tolls charged by the Norfolk county ferries, and instead of itself laying railroad tracks on said bridge, said company may make special ar- rangements with any company operat- ing street cars, or other cars or en- gines, whereby such last mentioned company may obtain the right or priv- ilege for such period as may be agreed upon to lay tracks on said bridge and operate its cars or engines on the same over and across said bridge and for such compensation as may be agreed upon, and such agreed rate of compen- sation may include both the passage of the cars and of the passengers or freight contained therein provided, however, that in the construction of said bridge the same company shall provide, maintain and operate at its own expense a suitable draw one hun- dred and five (105) feet in the clear so as to permit the passage of steam- boats, steamships and other vessels navigating the Elizabeth river; and provided, further, that said bridge where it crosses the tracks of the Nor- folk and Western Railway Company in the city of Norfolk shall cross at an elevation of not less than twenty-one feet measured from the top of the rail- way company's rail to the bottom of said bridge; and provided, further, that in constructing said bridge, neither Water or Main streets in the city of Norfolk shall be obstructed thereby ex- cept as may be necessary in crossing at an elevation aforesaid and by the supports of said bridge.

The said company shall have the right to condemn, according to the laws of Virginia, relative to the con- demnation of lands by a company in- corporated for a work of internal im- provement, the lands and rights re- quired for abutments, piers or ap- proaches, at either or both ends of its bridge, and for its other necessary pur- poses, and in exercising said powers of condemnation shall, in addition to such property as it may condemn under the general laws, have the right to invade the dwelling-house of any person, or any space within sixty feet thereof within the limits of this act fixed for the location of said bridge.

5. The said company may borrow money, and may also make and issue its bonds for such sums and bearing such rate of interest as it may deem wise, and may dispose of the same at such price or prices and upon such terms as its Board of Directors may determine, and may secure the pay- ment of the said bonds and the inter- est thereon by mortgage or mortgages, deed or deeds of trust on all its works, property and franchises, or any part thereof.

The same company may also take, purchase and grant and convey estates, real and personal; provided, it shall not own more than one thousand acres of land at any one time.

6. The said company may sell or lease its property and franchises, or any part thereof, to any other com- pany, or may unite or consolidate its property and franchises with any other company, and any other company may unite or consolidate its property and franchises with the company created by this act, under such name and upon such terms as may be agreed upon by the Board of Directors of the respec- tive companies, and such union or con- solidation shall be taken and deemed complete so soon as the agreement thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

7. Any other company may subscribe for or purchase, take and hold the stocks and bonds, or either, of this company, and this company may sub- scribe for or purchase, take and hold the stocks or bonds, or either, of any other company.

8. The said company, in accepting the privileges contained in this act, agrees to pay its taxes in lawful money of the United States, and not in cou- pons from Virginia bonds.

9. If the work of construction under this act is not begun within two years and a bridge constructed across the Elizabeth river, as herein authorized, within five years from the passage of this act, then the privileges hereby granted shall immediately cease and determine.

10. This act shall be in force from its passage.

It is understood that the presence of our representative business men is de- sired to-night, as the matter is one of great public importance and of gen- eral concern to all residents of this im- mediate section.

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COURTS OF NORFOLK

A Case of Accidental Killing in the Police Court.

A Non of Nunny Italy Takes out Nat- uralization Papers—A Divorce Granted—Cases Dismissed in the Law and Chancery Court—Fined.

The case of Thomas Fogarty, who some time ago waived examination on the charge of feloniously assaulting a Chinaman of Brambleton ward, was called for trial in the Corporation Court yesterday, but on account of the absence of several witnesses for the defense was continued until Tuesday, the 27th instant.

Rosa Macklin, colored, was tried yes- terday on the charge of lewd conduct. The case was taken under advisement.

Anthony Lagiglia, a son of Italy, was granted full naturalization papers.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

A marriage license was granted in the clerk's office yesterday to Samuel Saunders Green and Carrie Louise Lambert.

LAW AND CHANCERY COURT.

Judge Martin began the February term of the Court of Law and Chan- cery yesterday by dismissing the case of the Consumers' Ice Company against Feuerstein & Co., and W. S. McLean against L. S. Allen.

The motion for a new trial in the case of the Consumers' Brewing Com- pany against Chas. DeWitt & Co. was denied and case was appealed.

Josephine Sykes vs. Chas. H. Todd, final decree confirming the report of Judges J. J. Burroughs and Edward Spaulding, special commissioners, was set for a hearing.

DECREE OF DIVORCE.

Another married couple has been di- vorced. The divorce was granted yes- terday to Annie Munroe from her hus- band, T. H. Munroe, who deserted her. They were married August 28th, 1887, and separated March 6th, 1896.

This is the fifth divorce that has been granted in the Court of Law and Chancery in six weeks.

ACCIDENTAL KILLING.

Sylvester Bondhill, the 14-year-old colored boy who was accidentally shot by William Smallwood, another colored boy, Saturday night, died at 4 o'clock Sunday morning and was buried yes- terday afternoon. Smallwood was badly frightened after he shot the boy and ran away, but he was captured in Brambleton Sunday afternoon by Of- ficer C. J. White.

When the case was called in the Po- lice Court yesterday Corbin Whiting and Charlie Cherry, both colored, and eye-witnesses to the shooting, testified that it was purely accidental. The case was continued until to-morrow and the prisoner committed to jail.

Yesterday afternoon Coroner Odend- hal and a jury heard the testimony of several witnesses, and rendered a ver- dict that the deceased came to his death from a bullet fired from a pistol in the hands of Smallwood. The jury expressed the opinion that the shooting was accidental. It is very probable that Smallwood will be released this morning.

HEAVILY FINED.

Ollin Russell, colored, was fined \$25 and costs for firing a pistol in house No. 34 Kent street Sunday morning and \$50 and costs for carrying a concealed weapon. An appeal was taken in each case but he was unable to furnish bail, Russell went to jail.

The house where the shooting oc- curred was the scene of much riotous conduct about 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning. Officer Wolf, who was pat- roling that beat, heard cries of "Mur- der!" "Fire!" "Police!" etc., and hast- ened to the scene, arriving in time to see John Crowder, colored, dart out of the house and up the street. He was ordered to halt by the officer, and fall- ing to do so was shot, the ball entering his right leg.

It developed, however, that Crowder did not have anything to do with the shooting, and he was discharged. Several women inmates of the house in which Russell did the shooting, were also discharged.

MINOR POLICE CASES.

The following minor cases were dis- posed of:

Bessie Russell, colored, feloniously assaulting Elvora Riddick, colored; held for grand jury.

Timothy McDermott, unlawful tres- pass; discharged.

Richard Bernard, colored, stealing hams; discharged.

John A. Hazlewood, assaulting J. H. Nunniger; fined \$5.

Willie Hawkins, colored, stealing shoes from S. J. Thomas; thirty days in jail.

James Bright, colored, stealing a show case of sugar from C. D. Kenny; thirty days in jail.

Lula White, colored, stealing \$1 from Camelia Barron; fined \$3.

James Crump, colored, embezzle- ment; fined \$8.

DEATHS SUNDAY.

REV. MICHAEL GILLIGAN.

Rev. Michael Gilligan, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Medford, Mass., died in this city Sunday morn- ing. He arrived here Saturday night from Pinehurst, N. C., where he had been for some time for the benefit of his health. The deceased priest was fifty-five years of age. His remains were forwarded to his home last even- ing via the Adams Express.

MRS. AGNES P. MILLER.

Mrs. Agnes P. Miller departed this life at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, No. 204 Cumberland street, Sunday morning in the forty- second year of her age. The funeral will take place from the residence at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Sick Headache Cured.

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ELK'S CARNIVAL.

RAPID PROGRESS IN PREPARING FOR THIS EVENT.

Rapid progress is being made in the arrangements for the grand carnival which the Elks are preparing to hold in the near future. The public is gener- ously responding and liberal contribu- tions are coming in, \$800 in cash hav- ing already been received. Those in charge will leave nothing undone to make the occasion a grand one.

The various booths will represent miniature villages of different nations, and the costumes, which will be ex- pensive and historically correct, will be furnished by persons who make a study of such matters.

A feature sufficient in itself to make the occasion an exceptional one will be the Midway, and it is intended to have this in every respect a brilliant and picturesque scene. Besides these at- tractions entertainments will be given each evening, in which the best local talent, as well as professional, will participate and new features will be in- troduced every night.

A collection of valuable and interest- ing relics will be loaned for the oc- casion and placed on exhibition.

Those in charge will be glad of the support and co-operation of the public generally, and donations of any sort may be left with W. H. Sargeant, Jr., secretary of the committee. The list of donations will be published soon, and continued daily through the press.

Parochial Mission.

The parochial services at Emmanuel Episcopal Chapel, Wide and Calvert streets, Rev. John H. Dickinson, rector, began Sunday with morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. by the rector, and evening prayer and sermon by Rev. Z. S. Farland, of Portsmouth. A member of Christ Church choir sang a solo and Prof. Miller presided at the organ.

The Rev. C. R. Bryan, of Hampton, preached two helpful and instructive sermons yesterday. He is a most earnest and happy speaker.

Many people ask the question, "What is a mission?" A mission is a special effort to reach souls. It is a revival of religion. It is also an extraordinary call to the careless to repent and be all anxious about eternity. The services are short and the singing hearty.

To-day (Tuesday) at 4 o'clock there will be special service and sermon for children. All children are invited.

At the service Sunday night Miss Ellye Bryan sang very sweetly, and the music under Mr. Miller was of a high order.

Services daily at 4 and 8 p. m.

Real Estate Sales To-day.

Messrs. H. C. Hoggard & Co., auc- tioneers, will sell at the Real Estate and Stock Exchange at 12 m. to-day for Judge W. H. Burroughs, trustee, the house and lot No. 833 Tunstall avenue, Brambleton ward. For particu- lars see advertisement in another col- umn.

At the same time and place Messrs. Pannill Bros., auctioneers, will sell for Robert W. Shultice, substitute trustee, all that certain piece or parcel of land on Atlantic City ward designated on the map of the Norfolk Land and Improve- ment Company and known as lot 28, in block L.

Fell Dead on the Street.

A colored woman, named Catherine Smith, 35 years of age, employed as a domestic at the residence of Mr. D. J. Hathaway, at Wood and Fenchuch streets, dropped dead at Bute and Church streets about 7:15 o'clock Sun- day morning while on her way from work to her home, No. 83 Kent street. Her remains were taken to the City Morgue, and later to her residence. An inquest was held by Dr. Odend- hal yesterday, and a verdict of death from natural causes rendered.

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CANDIDATE'S CARD.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the position of HEALTH OFFICER of Norfolk,

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Subject to the Democratic Primary.

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NOTICE!

Bids will be received by the Park Com- mittee of the City Council at the office of the City Treasurer until 3 o'clock P. M. on SATURDAY, February 24th, 1900, for laying water pipes to and in the City Park. Specifications for the work and in- formation concerning the same can be ob- tained at the office of the City Engineer.

A certified check in the sum of \$100 must accompany each bid as a guarantee of the good faith of the bidder. Bond of \$1,500, with satisfactory security, will be required of the successful bidder. The committee reserves the right to re- ject any or all bids.

W. F. AL